

RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2007

Agency: **Richmond Heights Police Dept.**

Population: 7,649

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	6474	4775	1506	60	108	3	22
Searches	301	118	177	4	2	0	0
Arrests	196	63	128	4	1	0	0
Statewide population %	N/A	83.95	10.72	2.22	1.50	0.49	1.12
Local population %	N/A	78.74	13.34	1.96	4.45	0.34	1.19
Disparity index	N/A	0.94	1.74	0.47	0.38	0.14	0.29
Search rate	4.65	2.47	11.75	6.67	1.85	0.00	0.00
Contraband hit rate	15.95	16.10	16.38	0.00	0.00	#Error	#Error
Arrest rate	3.03	1.32	8.50	6.67	0.93	0.00	0.00

**Notes:** Population figures are 2007 Census estimates for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

**Disparity index** = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

**Search rate** = (searches / stops) X 100.

**Contraband hit rate** = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

**Arrest rate** = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

VEHICLE STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Reason for stop	Moving	5169	4144	878	30	96	2	19
	Equipment	166	97	60	6	2	0	1
	License	1111	529	549	19	10	1	3
	Investigative	181	64	108	8	1	0	0
Stop outcome	Citation	5520	4173	1196	44	89	3	15
	Warning	963	587	334	18	18	0	6
	No action	113	67	42	1	2	0	1
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	302	170	117	10	3	0	2
	US hwy	66	40	24	2	0	0	0
	State hwy	50	35	13	2	0	0	0
	County road	2289	1733	484	17	44	3	8
	City street	3574	2682	798	25	57	0	12
	Other	193	115	70	4	4	0	0
Driver gender	Male	3254	2385	751	46	58	2	12
	Female	3220	2390	755	14	50	1	10
Driver age	17 and under	84	66	13	2	1	1	1
	18-29	1994	1331	590	34	34	1	4
	30-39	1492	1032	392	18	37	1	12
	40 and over	2904	2346	511	6	36	0	5

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	129	63	65	0	1	0	0
	Inventory	86	34	48	4	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	34	19	15	0	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	205	69	131	4	1	0	0
	Plain view contraband	8	4	4	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	5	1	4	0	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	12	5	7	0	0	0	0
What searched	Driver	6	2	4	0	0	0	0
	Car/property	34	15	19	0	0	0	0
	Driver & Property	261	101	154	4	2	0	0
Search duration	0-15 minutes	281	108	167	4	2	0	0
	16-30 minutes	19	10	9	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	43	19	24	0	0	0	0
	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	4	0	4	0	0	0	0
	Other	7	1	6	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	149	41	105	2	1	0	0
	Drug violation	28	12	16	0	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	4	0	4	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Traffic Violation	45	10	31	4	0	0	0
	DWI/BAC	17	13	4	0	0	0	0
	Property offense	5	0	5	0	0	0	0
	Other	11	2	9	0	0	0	0

## Agency response

The City of Richmond Heights is a 2.8 sq. mile city incorporated in 1913 located on the western boundary of the City of St. Louis. Richmond Heights has three miles of U.S. 64 (Highway 40) running directly through it. Highway I-170 runs north and south from U.S. 64 to the city limits of Clayton. Located in Richmond Heights is the Galleria shopping mall and the new Boulevard Shopping District. The Galleria Mall and the Boulevard generate approximately 11 million shoppers or visitors each year. Richmond Heights also borders the City of Clayton, which is the county seat for St. Louis County. Thousands of vehicles travel thru Richmond Heights on a daily basis due to its geographic location. Estimated daytime population of Richmond Heights is 26,000.